

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Oliver Hobert

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Sir/Madam:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS AND REQUEST FOR FOUR (4) MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants are in receipt of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (the "Notice"), mailed March 16, 2004, and hereby request a four (4) month extension of time for response. A copy of the Notice is enclosed.

In response to the notification that the oath or declaration is unsigned, applicants enclose declaration and power of attorney forms, which identify the application by application number and filing date, and have been executed by inventor Oliver Hobert.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge \$805.00 (including \$65.00 for the late declaration surcharge and \$740.00 for the 4 month extension of time) to applicant's Deposit Account No. 02-4270. Authorization is hereby given to charge any additional fees that may be required to Deposit Account 02-4270.

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02 FC:2254 740.00 DA In view of the foregoing, it is submitted that the application is complete.

Respectfully submitted,

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